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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

To the inhabitants of the town of North Yarmouth, in town meeting assembled: —

We herewith submit our annual report of the financial condition of said town, showing receipts and expenditures for the year ending March 18, 1895.

The whole amount of taxable property in town is:

Real,	$264,370 00	
Personal,	76,352 00	
Total,		$340,722 00

Number of polls, 205 at $2.00 each.

The per centage is $21.00 on $1000.

ASSESSMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1894,

State tax,	$922 58	
County,	415 71	
		$1,338 29
Amt. raised for support of schools,	$800 00	
raised for support of poor,	350 00	
raised for support of bridges,	300 00	
raised for support of roads,	700 00	
raised for pym't town officers,	200 00	
raised for printing town reports,	25 00	
raised for contingent fund,	1,200 00	

Amt. raised for building schoolhouse in Dist. No. 2,	$ 650 00	
raised for repairing schoolhouses,	100 00	
Apprisal of schoolhouse property,	1,585 00	
Amt. raised for collector's commissions,	120 00	
Overlay,	196 87	
Gained by fractions,	1 06	
		$6,227 93
		$7,566 22
Less schoolhouse property apprisal,		1,585 00
		$5,981 22
Additional,		12 00
Total amount of commitments,		$5,993 22

APPRAISAL OF SCHOOL PROPERTY.

District No.	1.	Appraised value,	$375 00
"	2.	"	35 00
"	3.	"	100 00
"	4.	"	50 00
"	5.	"	250 00
"	6.	"	600 00
"	9.	"	175 00
			$1,585 00

Dr. HENRY E. SKILLIN, Coll., 1893. Cr.

To town tax unpaid Mar. 19, 1894,	$1,800 34	By town tax paid,	$1,723 58
		" " unpaid, Mar. 18, 1894,	76 76
	$1,800 34		$1,800 34

Dr. E. W. ROSS, Col., 1894. Cr.

To Assessment town tax, 1894,	$4,642 93	By State tax paid Town Treasurer,	$ 922 58
State tax,	922 58	County tax,	415 71
County tax,	415 71	Town tax paid,	2,922 91
Additional,	12 00	Town tax unpaid Mar. 18, 1895,	1,732 02
	$5,993 22		$5,993 22

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPPORT OF POOR.

M. S. Campbell, Treas., Insane Hospital,	$38 65
M. S. Campbell, Treas., "	35 64
George F. S. Skillin,	9 11
Cora B. Doloff,	11 45
Cora B. Doloff,	45 36
M. S. Campbell, Treas., Insane Hospital,	77 21
M. S. Campbell, Treas., "	69 56
Cora B. Dolloff,	37 50
Cora B. Dolloff,	15 46
Cora B. Dolloff,	26 25
M. S. Campbell, Treas., Insane Hospital,	34 30
M. S. Campbell, Treas., "	34 36
Cora B. Dolloff,	52 78
George G. Osgood,	3 45
	$491 08

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SNOW BILLS.

Charles L. Marston,	$ 4 65
E. C. Marston, 1892,	6 60
George G. Osgood,	7 65
H. A. Osgood,	1 05
Frank E. Newell,	5 25
H. E. Skillin, collector,	85 56
E. C. Marston,	21 87
A. P. Lufkin,	8 25

E. D. Loring,	$14 22
W. B. Scott,	4 80
H. N. Sweetser,	3 00
G. M. Loring,	3 00
Harry E. Richards,	19 10
Edward Beals,	20 10
George F. Skillin,	12 80
A. N. Titcomb,	5 70
Gardiner Leighton jr., outstanding,	3 35
H. E. Skillin, Coll.,	108 26
E. W. Ross, Coll.,	409 24
J. M. Prince,	5 40
I. E. Hayes,	28 00
E. W. Ross, Coll.,	38 94
" " "	63 53
	$880 32
Outstanding,	3 35
Total amount paid,	$876 97

SNOW BILLS.

Charles L. Marston,	4 65
E. C. Marston, 1892,	6 60
H. A. Osgood,	1 05
Frank E. Newell,	5 25
Chas. D. Skillin,	4 50
" "	3 15
Frank H. Low,	14 08
J. S. Frost,	3 45
J. H. Brackett,	6 24
E. C. Marston,	1 90
Geo. W. Haskell,	6 65
A. N. Titcomb,	2 55

Sewell Baston,	$ 2 25
A. F. Bennett,	10 15
Joseph Loring,	11 08
Frank True,	2 25
W. E. True,	2 25
Richard True,	2 25
W. W. Pullen,	12 55
R. T. Hodsdon,	1 75
Chas. H. Brackett,	6 16
E. C. Marston,	21 87
A. P. Lufkin,	8 25
W. B. Scott,	4 80
H. N. Sweetser,	3 00
Harry E. Richards,	$19 10
Edward Beals,	20 10
George Fred Skillin,	12 80
A. N. Titcomb,	5 70
Gardner Leighton jr.,	3 35
Estate of Samuel Skillin,	6 75
Estate of Samuel Skillin, 1892,	4 50
F. N. Soper,	13 60
Earl Fitz,	1 50
E. J. Bennett,	10 65
R. L. Hamilton,	2 40
E. S. Skillin,	11 75
H. M. Hamilton,	12 75
William G. Ring,	2 10
William F. Royal,	1 35
M. F. Lovell,	1 50
Eben Hawkes,	1 50
G. F. Hamilton,	1 80
H. E. Skillin,	2 03
George F. Hamilton,	1 65

Herbert H. Hamilton,	$12 03
George D. Porter,	20 40
Charles Milliken,	7 62
George Fred Loring	9 60
J. L. Low,	1 75
W. G. Haskell,	2 00
Charles R. Quick,	1 95
John W. Merchant,	9 82
O. F. Dolloff,	22 63
Melvin Ramsdell,	2 78
A. A. Barker,	3 30
George F. Rowe,	2 00
Thomas H. Hayes,	3 59
Warren Titcomb,	10 30
Frank Titcomb,	12 57
W. H. Paine,	20 29
W. B. True,	2 55
Thomas B. True,	5 70
C. C. Paine,	10 80
J. L. Low,	4 35
C. W. Low,	5 35
Amos Low,	6 82
E. M. Lombard,	3 15
Henry Cleaves,	1 96
John Mountford,	10 00
J. H. Brackett,	1 35
S. L. Davis,	12 85
Henry O. Hamilton,	9 40
William A. Winslow,	14 60
George E. Baston,	15 45
George H. Baston,	2 25
Charles S. Sweetser,	5 05
Sewell Baston,	2 55

F. M. Dolloff,	$ 75
James Lawrence,	4 38
C. C. Crockett,	24 23
F. D. Morrill,	8 60
William P. Johnson,	28 60
Nehemiah Porter,	19 00
John F. Woodman,	5 04
Ralph Jewett,	24 05
Gardiner Leighton,	7 82
F. O. Hayes,	9 15
Eugene W. Clark,	2 25
Sidney L. Leighton,	2 85
George A. Adams,	3 00
E. G. Hayes,	14 32
G. Farrer,	3 00
George A. Staples,	3 90
D. V. Lovell,	1 27
George F. Rowe,	11 60
Albert Sweetser,	6 10
G. A. Libby,	4 95
I. E. Hayes,	28 00
Franklin Cleaves,	5 00
Cornelius Thomas,	3 15
George W. Hunt,	2 10
Daniel H. Cole,	6 50
M. A. Fogg,	15 40
Edwin W. Ross,	75
D. N. Woodman,	2 47
A. E. Hodsdon,	1 32
A. M. Lufkin,	2 25
A. L. Vannah,	2 75
Hollis N. Doyle,	5 25
George W. Haskell,	6 48

John H. Bond,	$ 3 15
George P. Skillin,	1 50
E. S. Skillin,	7 40
Charles R. Loring,	11 75
George P. Skillin,	1 20
J. B. Ryder,	24 05
J. M. Prince,	5 40
E. D. Loring,	14 22
G. M. Loring,	3 00

ORDERS DRAWN FOR REPAIR OF ROADS AND BRIDGES.

E. C. Marston, 1893,	$10 63
Charles D. Skillin,	15 00
H. E. Skillin, Collector,	42 18
James M. Prince,	88 00
L. J. Bennett,	33 12
Gideon F. Skillin,	3 75
John F. Skillin,	3 25
Charles D. Skillin,	12 75
I. E. Hayes,	50 00
E. D. Loring,	6 66
I. E. Hayes,	30 00
Joseph Loring, outstanding,	38 00
G. G. Osgood, "	30 00
I. E. Hayes,	15 75
I. E. Hayes,	50 00
Charles H. Mitchell,	22 50
Portland Stone Pipe Cement Co.,	40 88
H. G. Merrill & Son, bridge plank,	21 58
Loring Bennett,	4 00
I. E. Hayes,	5 63
Frank Chapman,	44 00

James M. Prince, outstanding,	$73 00
E. D. Loring,	13 00
I. E. Hayes,	10 00
I. E. Hayes,	5 63
W. B. Scott,	75
George A. Staples,	9 00
I. E. Hayes,	36 12
A. N. Titcomb,	6 75
Henry E. Skillin, Coll.,	3 00
E. W. Ross, "	103 19
I. E. Hayes,	3 00
I. E. Hayes,	11 25
I. E. Hayes,	12 00
George C. Frye, paint for bridges,	12 50
E. W. Ross, Collector,	141 78
E. W. Ross, "	59 75
I. E. Hayes,	14 37
I. E. Hayes,	9 75
George G. Osgood,	1 91
	$1,094 43
Outstanding,	141 00
Total amount paid,	$953 43

BILLS FOR REPAIR HIGHWAY AND BRIDGES.

I. E. Hayes, Road Commissioner

I. E. Hayes,	$12 00
I. E. Hayes,	3 00
Azor Mitchell,	2 50
I. E. Hayes,	5 25
I. E. Hayes,	15 00
I. E. Hayes,	11 00
A. N. Titcomb,	6 75

I. E. Hayes,	$36 12
George A. Staples,	9 00
I. E. Hayes,	5 63
I. E. Hayes,	10 00
I. E. Hayes,	5 63
I. E. Hayes, for drain pipe,	20 44
I. E. Hayes,	50 00
I. E. Hayes,	15 75
I. E. Hayes,	30 00
I. E. Hayes,	50 00
Loring J. Bennett,	33 12
I. E. Hayes,	11 25
Dunn & Porter,	10 78
I. E. Hayes,	30 00
I. E. Hayes,	35 00
A. L. Dunn,	6 00
A. E. Hodsdon,	1 50
I. E. Hayes,	12 75
I. E. Hayes,	4 00
I. E. Hayes,	5 20
James Lawrence,	9 55
I. E. Hayes,	6 00
I. E. Hayes,	10 00
I. E. Hayes,	14 37
I. E. Hayes,	9 75
George C. Frye, paint for bridges,	6 25

BILLS FOR REPAIR OF HIGHWAY AND BRIDGES.

James M. Prince, Road Commissioner.

Gardner Leighton,	2 68
Fred N. Soper,	10 75
W. P. Johnson,	5 50

Frank Low,	$6 00
John Hamilton,	3 00
Amos Low,	6 25
Elmer Porter,	1 50
J. F. Mountford,	3 00
O. F. Dolloff,	2 00
Eugene Hicks,	6 38
T. H. Hayes,	13 63
N. Porter,	8 75
W. B. Scott,	75
James M. Prince,	73 00
Frank Chapman,	44 00
A. G. Merrill & Son,	21 58
C. H. Mitchell,	22 50
Loring Bennett,	4 00
James M. P. Prince for drain pipe,	20 44
Geo. G. Osgood,	30 00
Joseph Loring,	38 00
John S. Skillin,	3 25
Chas. D. Skillin,	12 75
E. D. Loring,	6 66
Gideon F. Skillings,	3 75
James M. Prince,	88 00
Charles D. Skillings,	15 00
Albert Lufkin,	5 25
Joseph Lufkin,	1 50
James M. Prince,	30 00
C. H. Mitchell,	9 00
Perry Loring,	3 75
C. A. D. Allen,	6 25
A. F. Sawyer,	75
E. S. Skillin,	14 25
E. D. Loring,	13 00

George T. Osgood,	$1 91
George C. Frye, paint for bridges,	6 25
George Porter,	1 50
M. F. Lovell,	1 50
J. H. Brackett,	4 00
Sewell Baston,	1 50
I. E. Hayes, lumber for bridges,	36 60
E. C. Marston,	10 63

ORDERS DRAWN FOR TOWN OFFICERS.

W. T. Dunn, superintending school committee,	$ 65 00
E. D. Loring, selectman, assessor & overseer of poor,	86 75
A. L. Dunn, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	57 75
A. N. Titcomb, selectman, assessor and overseer of poor,	60 25
A. P. Lufkin, services as town treasurer,	25 00
E. D. Loring, services as town clerk,	15 00
E. W. Ross, services as constable,	9 00
E. W. Ross, services as special constable,	2 50
Frank H. Low, services as special constable,	2 50
E. D. Loring, recording births, deaths, oaths of office and issuing death certificates, burial permits, etc.,	9 18
Gardiner Leighton jr., ballot clerk, outstanding	1 50
F. O. Hayes, ballot clerk,	1 50
	$335 93
Outstanding,	1 50
Total amount paid,	$334 43

ORDERS DRAWN FOR DAMAGE DONE SHEEP BY DOGS.

E. S. Skillin,	$ 4 00
Charles S. Sweetser,	10 00
Hannah Jewett,	9 00
W. B. True,	10 00
	$33 00

ORDERS DRAWN FOR INTEREST.

H. N. Sweetser,	$ 6 53
George P. Skillin,	21 43
A. P. Lufkin, treasurer,	8 54
	$36 50

ORDERS DRAWN FOR COLLECTOR'S COMMISSIONS.

E. W. Ross,	$119 86

ORDERS DRAWN FOR ABATEMENTS.

Henry E. Skillin, coll. estate W. B. Pierce,		4 84
Greeley Brown, on taxes of 1894,		6 30
H. E. Skillin, collector for poll tax, James Hulet, 1893,	$2 00	
H. E. Skillin, collector for poll tax, Arthur Fortin, 1893,	2 00	
H. E. Skillin, collector for poll tax, Amos Ross, 1893,	2 00	
		6 00
E. G. Hayes, collector for poll tax, F. W. Hawkes, 1892,	2 00	
E. G. Hayes, collector for personal tax, F. W. Hawkes, 1892,	58	

E. G. Hayes, collector for dog tax, F. W. Hawkes,	$2 00	
E. G. Hayes, collector for poll tax, W. Robbins, 1892,	2 00	
E. G. Hayes, collector, for personal tax, W. Robbins, 1892,	58	
E. G. Hayes, collector for poll tax, B. B. Bickford, 1892,	2 00	
E. G. Hayes, collector for poll tax, Howard Kempton, 1892,	2 00	
E. G. Hayes, collector for personal tax, Wm. Merrill, 1892,	46	
		$11 62
E. W. Ross, coll. for 4 watering privileges,		12 00
Mary A. Ross, on real estate,		7 35
		$48 11

ORDERS DRAWN FOR CONTINGENCIES.

Brown Thurston Co., printing town reports,	$27 20
James A. Sawyer, damage done horse,	65 00
Stevens, Jones & Co., books, stationery, etc.,	16 33
" " books, etc.,	6 00
E. D. Loring, perambulating town lines, setting new monuments and resetting old ones,	15 00
Silas Skillings, services as surveyor in perambulating town lines,	15 00
Albert Sweetser, insurance policies, work in cemetery, etc.,	5 13
Charles S. Sweetser, looking for dogs that had been killing sheep,	2 25
Charles S. Sweetser, justices fees,	75
Chas. H. Hodsdon, making, lettering and setting monuments on town lines,	4 50

W. W. Thomas, issuing birth and death certificates,	$1 75
D. N. Woodman, issuing birth and death certificates,	1 25
E. J. Bennett, work in cemetery,	2 00
W. T. Dunn, school books,	36 79
Seward M. Prince, services as sexton,	18 00
Stevens Jones Co., stationery, etc.,	1 40
E. D. Loring, services as clerk of school fund and health committee,	7 00
E. D. Loring, paid express, postage and recording deed,	4 00
E. D. Loring, services as auctioneer,	2 00
A. P. Lufkin, postage, stationery, etc.,	1 00
James Doten, repairs on road machine, etc.,	1 35
E. G. Hayes, collector,	5 00
F. N. Soper, wood for town house,	3 00
George F. Rowe,	1 40
W. T. Dunn, school books, etc.,	43 07
	$286 17

ORDERS DRAWN FOR APPRAISAL OF SCHOOL HOUSE DISTRICT, NO. 7.

David V. Lovell,	$13 66
Major Lombard,	9 70
W. F. Royal,	1 83
Henry Cleaves,	11 53
Franklin Cleaves,	5 78
Azor Mitchell,	12 91
Huldah P. Greeley,	26
Elias C. Marston,	4 00
Fred W. Royal,	65

Horace G. Ross,	$ 2 61
Samuel Lawrence,	2 18
E. D. Freeman,	13 00
Rufus Titcomb,	34 75
John Mountford,	18 28
Somes L. Davis,	9 57
William H. Paine,	14 39
Ann Finnlayson,	87
	$155 97

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Carrie T. Whitney,	$19 20
Grace E. Webster,	23 86
Laura T. Brunham,	12 00
Mary A. Lawrence,	8 00
Mary A. Lawrence,	19 20
A. F. Bennett,	15 00
Luna M. Dolloff,	48 00
George M. Loring,	3 00
B. F. Davis,	14 00
Joseph T. Lufkin,	1 66
I. E. Hayes,	8 75
E. L. Farwell,	15 52
H. H. Hamilton,	1 00
Albert Sweetser,	10 20
Albert Sweetser,	4 29
A. F. Bennett,	3 00
Carrie T. Whitney,	60 00
Ineze C. Page,	40 00
Ada L. Morrell,	52 00
Adelaide M. Hodsdon,	42 00
Elsie M. Dolloff, outstanding,	48 00

A. L. Dunn,	$20 00
Mrs. E. M. McIntire,	56 00
Miles S. York,	2 00
Carrie T. Whitney,	64 00
Adelaide Hodsdon,	54 00
Maria L. Dunn,	20 00
Elsie M. Dolloff,	32 00
I. E. Hayes,	16 00
Ineze C. Page,	44 00
Ada L. Morrill, outstanding,	52 00
Mrs. E. M. McIntire,	57 00
George F. Skillin,	8 00
George F. Rowe,	4 11
Frank H. Lowe,	1 00
Willard A. Lurkin,	1 50
J. P. Rowe,	6 88
D. N. Woodman,	6 50
Arthur M. Hayes,	3 00
Carrie T. Whitney,	96 00
Willard Lufkin,	3 00
H. E. Skillin, Collector,	7 00
E. W. Ross, "	23 10
W. C. Pullen,	4 75
I. E. Hayes,	22 00
Mrs. E. M. McIntire,	90 00
Ada L. Morrill,	84 00
Bertha L. Dolloff,	66 00
Elsie M. Dolloff,	49 50
W. T. Dunn,	16 58
Earle G. Freeman,	$ 3 00
Roy Hamilton,	3 00
Ineze C. Page,	66 00
Maria L. Dunn,	30 00

Miles S. York, outstanding,		$ 2 00
A. F. Sawyer,		6 00
Maria L. Dunn,		9 38
Earle G. Fitts,		24 00
I. E. Hayes,		37 50
W. T. Dunn,		38 25
W. T. Dunn,		2 00
G. F. Rowe,		2 75
Samuel F. York,		6 00
George G. Osgood,		1 56
F. N. Soper,		13 00
		$1,603 04
Outstanding,		102 00
Total amount paid,		$1,501 04

ORDERS DRAWN FOR SCHOOLHOUSE, DISTRICT NO. 2.

L. P. Pomeroy, outstanding,		$300 00
L. P. Pomeroy,		200 00
Maine Central Railroad, freight,		8 09
L. P. Pomeroy, outstanding,		319 74
W. T. Dunn,		10 00
Vermont School Seat Co.,		81 00
N. S. Shurtleff,		10 00
		$928 83
Outstanding,		619 74
Total amount paid,		$309 09
Appropriations,	$799 00	
Overdrawn,	129 83	
		$928 83

SUMMARY.

Amount raised for support of school,	$800 00
" " " poor,	350 00
" " repair of roads and bridges,	1,000 00
" " payment of town officers,	200 00
" " printing town reports,	25 00
" " contingent fund,	1,200 00
" " new schoolhouse in dis. No. 2,	650 00
" " repairs on schoolhouses,	100 00
" " collector's commissions,	120 00
" " overlay,	196 87
" gained by fractions,	1 06
	$4,642 93

SUMMARY.

Amount expended for schools,	$1,501 04
" " poor,	351 52
" " roads and bridges,	953 43
" " town officers,	334 43
" " contingencies,	286 17
" " collector's commission,	119 86
" " interest,	36 50
" " sheep killed by dogs,	33 00
" " schoolhouse appraisal, Dist. No. 7,	155 97
" " schoolhouse in Dist. No. 2,	309 09
" " snow bills,	876 97
	$4,957 98

RESOURCES.

Due from Henry E. Skillin, collector,	$76 76
" E. W. Ross, collector,	1,732 02
" town of Gray scholars, 1894, 1895,	7 65
" " on running town lines,	1 50
" I. E. Hayes, for old road machine,	9 00
	$1,826 93
Cash in treasury,	505 22
	$2,332 15

LIABILITIES.

Due for outstanding town orders,	$2,110 46
" M. P. Frank, land damage,	40 00
" for estimated interest,	50 00
	$2,200 46
Resources above indebtedness,	131 69

All of which is respectfully submitted,

E. D. Loring,
A. L. Dunn,
A. T. Titcomb,
Selectmen of No. Yarmouth.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR REPORT.

There have been two persons supported by the town for the entire year, Rufus B. Richard and James H. Marston. The first of the year we found some trouble in obtaining a suitable boarding-house for J. H. Marston without paying a higher price than we had formerly paid, but finally contracted with Cora B. Dolloff to board him for $3.75 per week.

The price paid per week for board of R. B. Richards at the Insane Hospital at Augusta, is $2.50 per week, exclusive of clothing.

P'd G. F. Skillin board of J. H. Marston,	$9 11	
Cora B. Dolloff, " "		
50 weeks at $3.75 per week,	187 50	
for carbolic acid and tar for J. H. Marston,	1 30	
G. G. Osgood for clothing for J. H. Marston,	3 45	
		$201 36
P'd Treas. Insane Hospital for board of R. B. Richards 52 weeks at $2.50 per week,	$130 00	
for clothing, postage, etc.,	20 16	
		$150 16
Treas. Insane Hospital for board of J. B. Lufkin, 52 weeks at $2.50 per week,	$130 00	
for clothing, postage, etc.,	9 56	
		$139 56
		$491 08
Rec'd from J. H. Humphrey, guardian J. B. Lufkin,		139 56
Total cost of poor,		$351 52

In February we received notice from the Overseers of the Poor of the town of Rockport that (Lydia), or Lizzie Ellen Meserve, daughter of Vincent and Ellen A. Meserve, had been found destitute in that town and in need of immediate relief, and that the same had been furnished her on account of the town of North Yarmouth.

We immediately notified the overseers of the town of Rockport that Lydia or Lizzie Ellen Meserve had no legal settlement in this town, and that we should pay no charges on her account, and have heard nothing from them since.

E. D. Loring,
A. L. Dunn,
A. N. Titcomb,
Overseers of Poor of North Yarmouth.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

DR.

To cash in treasury Mar. 19, 1894,		$ 90	87
commitments for 1894,		5,993	22
Mar. 19.	Received from City of Bangor,	37	05
	To amount due from H. E. Skillin, collector, 1893,	1,800	34
	To amount due from E. G. Hayes, collector, 1891–92,	123	60
	Rec'd from John M. Humphrey	139	56
Apr. 6.	" " Albert Sweetser, treas. No. Yarmouth School Fund,	219	99
Sept. 14.	Rec'd from E.D.Loring,dog license,	75	00
1895			
Jan. 3.	Rec'd from state treas.,R. R.tax '94,	55	00
	" " " " damage done by dogs,	33	00
Jan. 17.	Rec'd from state treas., school fund and mill tax, 1894,	493	97
Feb. 18.	Rec'd from S. S. committee, school property sold,	14	10
	Rec'd from state treas., unexpended dog license, 1893,	59	94
Mar. 7.	Rec'd from town of Gray for schools,	16	45
	Rec'd from town of Yarmouth on town lines,	3	00
	Rec'd from town of Cumberland on town lines,	3	00
	Rcc'd from town of Pownal on town lines,	1	50
	Rec'd from E. D. Loring for Amt. license,	2	00

Rec'd from E. D. Loring for school property,	$ 0 90
Rec'd from state treas, state pensions paid,	156 00
	$9,318 49

Cr.

By paid selectmen's orders,	$5,375 20
state tax,	982 58
county tax,	415 71
state treasurer, dog license, 1894,	75 00
state pensions, 1894,	156 00
amt. due from H. E. Skillin, coll., 1893,	76 76
due from E. W. Ross, coll., 1894,	1,732 02
cash in treasury to balance,	505 22
	$9,318 49

A. P. Lufkin, *Treasurer*,

North Yarmouth, Mar. 18, 1895.

REPORT OF ALBERT SWEETSER, TREASURER OF THE NORTH YARMOUTH SCHOOL FUND.

For the year ending March 4, 1895.

1894 Dr.

Mar.	To 9 shares of Casco Nat'l Bank stock,	$900 00
	11 shares of Canal " "	1,100 00
	7 shares of Com'l Union Tel. stock,	700 00
	William Hayes, note and mortgage for $271.73, dated Jan. 1, 1880,	271 73
	Cash to loan voted by the town,	28 27
	Total amount of fund,	$3,000 00

Apr. 1	To dividend on 7 shares of Com'l Union Telegraph stock,	$21 00
July 1	To dividend on 9 shares of Casco National Bank, 6 months at 3 per cent,	27 00
	To dividend on 11 shares of Canal National Bank, 6 months at 4 per cent,	44 00
Oct. 1	To dividend on 7 shares of Com'l Union Telegraph stock at 3 per cent,	21 00
1895		
Jan. 1	To dividend on 9 shares of Casco National Bank, 6 mos. at 3 per cent,	27 00
	To dividend on 11 shares Canal National Bank, 6 mos. at 4 per cent,	44 00
Feb. 14	To interest on William Hayes note for $271.73, dated Jan. 1, 1880, 6 per ct.,	16 30
	To interest on $28.27 cash to loan and voted by the town,	1 69
	Earnings of the fund the past year,	201 99
		3,000 00
	Total fund and income,	$3,201 99
	Deduct fund,	3,000 00
	amount to be expended for schools the present year,	$201 99

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT SWEETSER, *Treasurer.*

North Yarmouth, March 4, 1895.

Approved by

JAMES LAWRENCE,
F. O. HAYES,
GEO. H. BASTON,
} *Finance Commitee.*

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

Births Recorded in North Yarmouth From March 18, 1894, to March 10, 1895.

1894

Date of Birth.	Name of Child.	Sex.	Name of Parents.
Mar. 18,	Ernest Hayes Allen,	M	Chas. A. D. and Della S. Allen
May 28,	Harva Alice Titcomb,	F	Alfred N. and Alice L. Titcomb
July 13,	Baxter C. Pullen,	M	Warren W. and Josephine B. Pullen
Aug. 1,	Stella Howland Strout,	F	Lincoln H. and Jennie S. Strout
" 26,	Susan Annie Priscilla Sawyer,	F	Herbert Thomas and Minnie M. Sawyer
Sept. 16,	Harold Baston Skillin,	M	Willard E. and Mary E. Skillin
" 18,	Edward Francis Woodman,	M	Daniel Nash and Hattie W. Woodman
" 29,	Clara E. Currie,	F	David C. and Jennie Currie
Oct. 25,	Georgie Lincoln Sawyer,	F	Chas. H. and Ella F. Sawyer
" 26,	Dorrice Hazel Bennett,	F	John E. and Alice M. Bennett
Dec. 22,	Ralph Edwin Lombard,	M	Edwin M. and Isabella Lombard
" 29,	Edwin Gray Leighton	F	Gardiner jr. and Annie Leighton

Deaths Recorded in No. Yarmouth from March 18, 1894, to March 10, 1895.

Date.	Name.	Age.			Cause of Death.
		Yrs.	Mos.	Ds.	
May11,'94,	Samuel Skillin,	71	5	11	Typhoid Fever.
May 22,	Harriet E. Latham,	62	11	22	Softening of Brain.
Aug. 11,	Sarah Ann Strout,	75	9		Heart Disease.
June 28,	Edward Kimball,	14	8	19	Consumption.
Aug. 15,	Phebe B. Ross,	80	4		Dysentery.
Sept. 8,	William Marston,	67	5	13	Result of La Grippe.
Nov. 23,	Edith J. Peare,	5		9	Sportic Paraplegia Brones Pneumonia.
Dec. 25,	William Osgood,	69	1	13	General Paralysis.
Jan. 7, '95,	Lewis Mitchell,	62	1	22	Malignant Tumor or Disease of Heart & Liver.
Feb. 7,	Emma F. Lovell,	64		9	Nervous Exhaustion.
Feb. 18,	Susannah N. Prince,	84	2	20	Apoplexy.
Feb. 26,	Caleb S. Ross,	83	2	9	Catarrhal Bronchitis and Intestinal Catarrh.
Mar. 3,	Luella E. Cushman,	25	4	26	Phthisis, Pulmonary and Intestinal.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN NO. YARMOUTH FROM MARCH 19, 1894, TO MARCH 10, 1895.

1894.

May 28. Harold Rosenwold and Augusta M. Libby, both of Yarmouth.

Nov. 28. George Winfield Haskell of North Yarmouth, and Bessie Howard Shailor of New Gloucester.

Nov. 27. Edward E. Hawkes and Gertrude Munroe, both of North Yarmouth.

Dec. 25. Fred P. Chapman and Carrie M. Foster, both of North Yarmouth.

1895.

Jan. 27. Ira M. Brown and Sarah L. Gilman, both of North Yarmouth.

E. D. LORING, *Town Clerk.*

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

To the citizens of North Yarmouth:—

The superintending school committee respectfully submits the following report: —

Whole number of children in town between the ages of 4 and 21,	198
Whole number attending spring term,	94
Average number attending spring term,	85
Whole number attending fall term,	95
Average number attending fall term,	82
Whole number attending winter term,	106
Average number attending winter term,	92

Financial Statement — Resources.

Amount raised by town,	$800 00
Town school fund,	219 19
State school fund and mill tax,	495 97
Rec'd from town of Gray for tuition 1893–94,	16 45
Due from town of Gray for tuition 1894–95,	7 65
Balance unexpended March 1, 1894,	216 52
	$1,755 78

Expenditures.

Teacher's wages for spring terms,	$324 00	
Teacher's wages for fall terms,	332 00	
Teacher's wages for winter terms,	510 00	
Teacher's wages from Mar. 1, to close of term,	130 26	
Conveying pupils from No. 5 to No. 6,	39 00	
For janitors,	44 25	
Wood for 1894–95,	125 36	
Insurance,	14 49	
Repairs,	22 29	
Supplies,	18 14	
Cleaning schoolhouses,	5 00	
Paid Yarmouth for tuition,	38 25	
		$1,603 04
Balance unexpended,		152 74

TABULAR REPORT.

SPRING TERM.

No. of School.	Name of Teacher.	Whole No. Registered.	Average No. in attendance.	Length of term in weeks.	Wages of teacher per week exclusive of board.	Price of board per week.	Amt. paid, including board.	
1	Carrie T. Whitney,	30	25	8	$5 50	$2 00	$60 00	
2	Mrs. E. M. McIntire,	13	12	8	5 00	2 00	56 00	
3	Ada L. Morrill,	10	9	8	4 50	2 00	52 00	
4	Elsie M. Dolloff,	9	8	8	4 00	2 00	48 00	
6	Ineze C. Page,	25	21	8	5 00	2 50	60 00	
9	Adelaide Hodsdon,	11	10	8	4 00	2 00	48 00	
								$324 00

FALL TERM.

1	Carrie T. Whitney,	30	25	8	$6 00	$2 00	$64 00	
2	Mrs. E. M. McIntire,	13	10	8	5 50	2 00	60 00	
3	Ada L. Morrill,	9	8	8	4 50	2 00	52 00	
4	Elsie M. Dolloff,	11	10	8	4 00	2 00	48 00	
6	Ineze C. Page,	20	19	8	5 50	2 50	60 00	
9	Adelaide Hodsdon,	12	10	8	4 00	2 00	48 00	
								$332 00

WINTER TERM.

1	Carrie T. Whitney,	31	27	12	$6 00	$2 00	$96 00	
2	Mrs. E. M. McIntire,	13	10	12	5 50	2 00	90 00	
3	Ada L. Morrill,	11	9	12	5 00	2 00	84 00	
4	Elsie M. Dolloff,	11	9	11	4 50	2 00	71 50	
6	Ineze C. Page,	24	22	12	5 50	2 50	96 00	
9	Dr. D. N. Woodman,			1	6 50		6 50	
	Bertha L. Dolloff,	16	13	11	4 00	2 00	66 00	
								$510 00
						Total amount paid,		$1,166 00

No. 1. Miss Carrie T. Whitney, teacher. Miss Whitney needs no introduction to the citizens of the town, as she has been a teacher here for a number of years. As a characteristic of her schools, the recitations were prompt, accurate and brief.

No. 2. Mrs. E. M. McIntire taught this school. The most harmonious feeling existed between teacher and pupils. She is an energetic, enthusiastic and progressive teacher.

No. 3. This school has been under the instruction of Miss Ada L. Morrill. Miss Morrill is a first-class teacher, and the work accomplished was very satisfactory.

No. 4. Miss Elsie M. Dolloff, teacher. This was Miss Dolloff's first experience in teaching, but she showed wonderful ability in her work. The pupils made marked progress in their studies. On account of a case of scarlet fever in the neighborhood, the winter term was in session only eleven weeks.

No. 6. Miss Ineze C. Page, teacher. Miss Page represents the modern method of teaching which tends to make individuals rather than machines. The pupils were taught to be respectful and courteous. The school was very fortunate in securing such efficient services.

No. 9. The spring and fall terms were taught by Miss Adelaide Hodsdon. Miss Hodsdon was very earnest in her work and showed much tact as a teacher. Was exceedingly sorry that she was unable to continue through the year. Dr. D. N. Woodman commenced the winter term but was obliged to resign on account of professional duties. Miss Bertha L. Dolloff finished the term, and the result of her work was very gratifying.

REMARKS.

Town System.

Larmartine says: "There are epochs in the history of the human race when the decayed branches fall from the tree of humanity, and when institutions grown old and exhausted, sink and leave a space for fresh institutions full of sap, which renew the youth and recast the

ideas of a people." Although we have had the town system for only a year, yet it has already demonstrated the wisdom of its promoters. Like every new undertaking, its inception presents seemingly insurmountable difficulties which time and experience will remove. This system is by no means an experiment with others. Before the legislative act of 1893, many towns voluntarily adopted this system, and it has fully shown its adaptability for the advancement of education. It gives the several schools uniform length; more economical, more efficient management; better schoolhouses and appliances; skilled and experienced teachers.

During the year the pupils in No. 5 have been transported to No. 6, and the consolidation has proven very satisfactory. The uniting of small schools makes the pupils more enthusiastic and progressive.

SCHOOLHOUSES.

During the summer a new schoolhouse was built. The plans and specifications perhaps, called for an excessive appropriation, but the committee felt that not a dissenting voice would be raised if a building was erected which would be a pride to the town, and an improvement in our educational facilities. The design did not demand, especially, architectural beauty, but convenience and adaptability to the needs of the school. The lighting, furniture, heating and ventilation, are according to the most improved methods.

I would earnestly recommend that a new schoolhouse be built in No. 4 during the present year. The old house is in such a dilapidated condition that it endangers the health of the pupils. If a new building is constructed a change in location is desirable as the present site is unsuitable.

Since education is compulsory, as it should be, it is our duty to provide healthful accommodations for the pupils.

I would also recommend that modern school seats and desks be furnished to those schoolhouses which have not already been supplied.

TEXT BOOKS.

Never in our educational history has there been published so much progressive and instructive literary matter as at the present time, and which tends to round out and complete a proper development. In our rural schools the common course of study soon becomes monotonous and tedious when pursued exclusively year after year. During my term of office I have endeavored to introduce into our schools supplementary work which, while being interesting and instructive, would not at the same time interfere with the regular school work.

Teachers and school committees have a great opportunity for presenting to pupils such instruction as shall give both stimulus and guidance in the formation of character and conduct of life, and to the highest ideals of true citizenship.

Section 1702 of the Political Code of California, is worthy of mention and adoption. "It shall be the duty of all teachers to endeavor to impress on the minds of the pupils the principles of morality, truth, justice and patriotism; to avoid idleness, profanity and falsehood; and to instruct them in the principles of a free government, and to train them up to a true comprehension of the rights, duties and dignity of American citizenship."

Appreciating the worth and importance of this law in our educational system, I introduced during the year, Thayer's Ethics of Success and Dole's American Citizen,

the objects of which were to impress upon the minds of the pupils these fundamental principles.

One great reform in the methods and matter of education, is the introduction of elementary science-teaching, which cultivates in the formative period of a child's mind a taste for scientific study, and the application of simple principles to the wonders and beauties of nature. Pupils who formerly perceived only meaningless objects in nature, now learn to find "tongues in trees, books in the running brooks, sermons in stones, and good in everything." For a preliminary book in this study, Nature's Stories for Young Readers was introduced, as a supplementary reader.

At the present time much attention is called towards humane education. The fear of punishment, or even punishment itself, has utterly failed in lessening cruelty to dumb animals; and whether future generations will be more humane is a question of education. This can be accomplished by impressing upon the receptive minds of children lessons of love and kindness to the lower animals. A series of humane publications were introduced, to be used under the direction of the teacher, either on a library plan or for schoolroom reading.

From observation, I came to the conclusion, that an extended course in bookkeeping was time wasted in our rural schools, and for all those who wished to pursue that study I substituted Shaw's Business Forms, which gives the practical forms and examples of common every day transactions.

There is a strong movement in favor of making a universal change in writing books, from the customary sloping style to the vertical style. The reasons to justify this innovation are, that the vertical is more legible and compels the pupil to assume an upright position.

The English Classic Series, which are in every school, should be continued and renewed. These are potent factors in cultivating and forming in the minds of the pupils correct expressions of speech. "I may avow," says President Eliot of Harvard University, "as the result of my reading and observation in the matter of education, that I recognize but one mental acquisition as the essential part of the education of a lady or gentleman — namely, an accurate and refined use of the mother tongue."

It would be advisable that a change be made in our histories and geographies for a later edition.

Teachers.

With but one exception, each school has had the same teacher through the year. With competent teachers, continued instruction is of the utmost importance. Pupils are subjected to a great injustice by frequent change of teachers.

Towns that cannot afford to support a free high school should, at least, give aid to those pupils who are qualified. The expense would be small, as the state contributes for such a purpose.

As the retiring member of the Committee, I wish to express my gratitude to all those who have approved of my suggestions, and rendered such valuable assistance in the performance of my duties, and in the future, although my connection with the schools will be more indirect, yet I shall always take a deep interest in their educational welfare.

W. T. Dunn,
Dr. D. N. Woodman, } *Committee.*
George F. Rowe,

W. T. Dunn, *Secretary and Supervisor.*

REPORT OF BUILDING COMMITTEE.

New Schoolhouse Account.

Paid L. P. Pomeroy for work and material,	$819 14	
A. D. Smith for plans and specification,	10 00	
Vermont Seat Co.,	81 00	
Freight and charges,	8 09	
N. S. Shurtleff for ¼ acre of land,	10 00	
		$928 23
Appropriation,	$799 00	
Overdrawn,	129 23	
		$928 23

Old Schoolhouse Account.

Received from sale of property,	$15 00
Paid auctioneer,	2 00
Balance,	$13 00

W. T. Dunn,
Dr. D. N. Woodman,
George F. Rowe,
Committee.

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

To Edwin W. Ross, Constable of North Yarmouth,
GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of North Yarmouth, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the town house in said town on Monday, the eighteenth day of March, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following, to wit:

ART. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

ART. 3. To hear the report of the Town Treasurer, and act on the same.

ART. 4. To hear the report of the Selectmen and act on the same.

ART. 5. To hear and act on the report of the Overseers of the Poor.

ART. 6. To hear and act on the report of the Supervisor of Schools.

ART. 7. To hear the report of the Trustees of the School Fund, and vote how the money shall be expended.

ART. 8. To choose all such officers as are required by law to be chosen in the month of March annually.

ART. 9. To raise money for support of schools.

ART. 10. To raise money for support of poor.

ART. 11. To raise money for the repair of bridges.

ART. 12. To raise money for the repair of roads, and vote how the money shall be expended, and fix the price of men, oxen and horses per day.

ART. 13. To raise money for the payment of town officers.

ART. 14. To see if the town will vote to have the reports of its officers for the ensuing year printed.

ART. 15. To receive accounts against the town and raise money for such as may be allowed.

ART. 16. To raise money for the contingent fund.

ART. 17. To see what action the town will take in regard to building a new schoolhouse in District No. 4, and raise money for the same.

ART. 18. To see if the town will vote to change the location of the schoolhouse in District No. 4, and buy a new lot and raise money for the same.

ART. 19. To raise money for repair of schoolhouses.

ART. 20. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen on perambulating the town lines.

ART. 21. To see what action the town will take in regard to changing the time of the Annual Meeting.

ART. 22. To see if the town will vote to repair the town office and raise money for the same.

ART. 23. To see if the town will vote for the Collector for the ensuing year to receive and settle for all properly avouched highway and snow bills.

The Selectmen give notice that they shall be in session for the purpose of correcting the voting list in said town, and hearing and deciding upon the application of

persons claiming to have their names entered upon said list at the town house at eight o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant and your doings thereon to one of us, on or before the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at said North Yarmouth, March 10, 1894.

E. D. Loring,
A. L. Dunn,
A. N. Titcomb,
} *Selectmen of No. Yarmouth.*